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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)**  
**SUBMITTED PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

Sir:

In response to final Office Action (herein "Action) of July 3, 2007, Applicant respectfully submits this Request for Continued Examination (RCE) along with the authorization to pay the requisite fee. Applicant further respectfully requests entry of the following amendments and remarks in the above referenced application.

Applicant also submits herewith a **Petition to Extend Time** for a period of one (1) month from the date now set, October 3, 2007, up to and including November 3, 2007, along with the **Authorization to Pay the Requisite Fee**.